

MORNING VISITOR.

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CITY OF WARSAW.

SATURDAY MORNING, FEB. 24.

QUARTERLY MEETING.

The second Quarterly Meeting for the Warsaw Circuit will be held in this place on Saturday and Sunday, the 3d and 4th days of March next.

Pleasures of a Country Editor's Life.—We suppose that a country editor sometimes realizes certain pleasures peculiar to his calling, similar to those attendant upon the various avocations of life. We will barely hint at one of the especial and at the same time, no very uncommon pleasure that has fallen to our lot on several occasions during the winter. It is now afternoon on Friday, with a space of a column and a half to be filled with reading matter of some sort. We have waited for the mail due this morning at 9 o'clock—at about one o'clock, the stage made its appearance, but brought no mail. Under these circumstances, what are we to do? Why, says a friend, "sit down and write something to fill up with." If our friend does not know it, we can state for his information that our editorials are all set up off-hand—that is to say, they are unwritten—and when we get a little behind as we happen to be just now, by waiting the uncertain movements of Cave Johnson's bale boxes, and are cheated out a supply of papers, even when they do arrive, we are not "in tune" for spinning long yarns, when we expected to draw upon the services of some body else. We only mention this as one among the great variety of pleasing scenes of the fraternity. But as "accidents will sometimes happen even in the best regulated families," we shall try and preserve our usual good temper, and hope for better luck when the box comes round again.

The attention of our shipping friends as well as others on travel, is referred to the advertisement of the splendid steamer *Rowena*, to be found in another column.—It is altogether superfluous for us to say anything in praise of the *Rowena*, or her polite and gentlemanly commander. He who has travelled with Jewett once, will not need much persuasion to do so again. For ourselves, we would spend a week on the banks of the Missouri, in order that we might have the pleasure of a trip with the very Prince of commanders.

By the way, we owe an apology to Capt. Jewett, for not publishing his card sooner. It was inserted in the Republican, and as we do not exchange with that paper, we never should have known that we were authorized to copy it, had it not been for a friend, who called our attention to it, and furnished us with a copy. As we have stricken the Republican from our exchange list, we would take it as a favor if those friends in St. Louis, who occasionally advertise with us, would send us a copy of the matter they wish us to publish, or have them inserted in some other of the valuable city papers, with which we exchange.

Hon. Wm. H. Seward, formerly Governor of New York, has been chosen by the Legislature of that State, a Senator in the Congress of the United States, for six years from the 4th of March next. It is not stated whether he succeeds the Hon. Mr. Dix or Dickinson, the present Senators from that State. Gov. Seward is a Whig, and was elected by the very small majority of 91 votes.

A resolution has been offered in the New York Legislature, proposing the presentation of a sword to Maj. Bliss, in the name of the people of that State, in testimony of their appreciation of his gallantry and services in the Mexican war. We see it pretty plainly intimated in an item from a New York paper, that this resolution was offered, not so much as a testimony of their appreciation of his military services, as with a hope of securing some of the leaves and fishes, to be dispensed by and through his influence with President Taylor.

Editorial Note.—The Hon. Jno. S. Phelps will please accept our thanks for a handsome map of the battle grounds of Mexico. We should have made this acknowledgement last week, but inadvertently omitted it.

Gen. Samuel M. Bay has been elected Bank Attorney, by the Board of Directors at St. Louis, in the place of Trustee Polk, Esq., who resigned.

The attention of our merchants and others, visiting St. Louis, is referred to the advertisement of John T. Martin, the mammoth Clothier of the West. Martin's is the monster establishment of the mighty West, from which a man is never permitted to retire without being disguised so that his best friend would hardly recognize him, at your own price, too—he sells so cheap. Give him a call and examine his goods and prices. Read his advertisement carefully, and you can't fail to find his house: No. 118, Main street.

The St. Louis Union says: "The bill for incorporating the Wire Bridge Company at St. Louis, has passed both Houses of the Legislature of Illinois, and has been sanctioned by the Governor."

It is said, that during the existence of the cholera in Cuba, on its former appearance, there were 16,000 interments at Havana, in ten weeks. The deaths in one day amounted to 900.

From the St. Louis Union.
FROM SANTA FE.

Dates from Santa Fe have been received in this city to the 18th Dec. The mail from the United States arrived out on the 29th Oct. Mr. Newman, the bearer, attempted to return with a mail on the 29th Nov., but in consequence of the severity of the weather, put back on reaching the Simarone.

From Chihuahua, Mr. Wm. Skinner arrived at Santa Fe early in Dec. The traders were doing a good business. Much consternation had been created by the depredations of the Indians.

Capt. Salmon, of Missouri, died at Taos on the 20th Nov., from the wounds he had received in an engagement with the Apache Indians some time previous.

John Sigler, a colored man, killed James Adams, at a fandango at Santa Fe, on the 8th Dec.

Lieut. Carson was at Santa Fe on the 1st of Nov.

Several Apache Indians had been captured by Maj. Beall, at Taos. He brought them prisoners to Santa Fe, and would soon take the field against a party on Red river, who had been committing depredations.

Mr. Aubry, from the States, arrived out in safety, but his waggons were delayed in the Raton mountains, from some cause or other, and fears were entertained for their safety.

District Attorney, H. N. Smith, arrived at Santa Fe from Washington city, on the 29th Oct.

Eugene Leitensdorfer had failed for a considerable amount. H. N. Smith and Thomas Boggs were his assignees.

OCCUPATIONS & C. OF THE MEMBERS OF THE MISSOURI LEGISLATURE.—From a tabular statement prepared by A. C. Marvin, Ast. Clk. of the House, we learn that the members and officers of the Senate comprise, 20 farmers, 13 lawyers, and of hotel keepers, physicians and carpenters, one each.

Of the House, 57 are farmers, 19 lawyers, 13 physicians, 5 merchants, 3 blacksmiths, 2 millers, 2 editors of newspapers, 1 artist and 1 horse-jockey.

Of the members and officers of the Legislature, 44 were born in Ky., 31 in Va., 15 in Tenn., 11 in N. C., 8 in Mo., 6 in Md., 4 in Ohio, 4 in N. Y., 4 in S. C., 4 in Pa., 2 in Ga., 2 in Ireland, 2 in N. H., and 1 each in Vt., Conn., Mass., England, and Germany.

HUNT UP THE SCAMP.

A fellow calling himself John S. Waters, came to James Scrivenor's near Keytesville, Mo., last November, and after staying some weeks, passing for a single man, married there. He afterwards borrowed a horse under the pretext of going after some negroes he professed to have; and sold the horse to R. D. Manzy of this place, and put out westward—being seen in Wakarusa prairie, since which he has not been heard of.

He is now ascertained to have married a widow woman last spring near Camden, Mo., who had some negroes and property which he jeopardized—if he had the legal right. He is also supposed to have a wife in Indiana, Ohio, Illinois, and Tennessee. He is about 40 or 45 years old, has a gray beard, is tall, straight built, and left handed; and has the initials J. S. W., printed with India ink on the left arm. He drinks, and talks a great deal when drinking.—He left here the 1st of January.

Papers in general should notice this marriage vagabond.—*Brunswick, 10th.*

TAKE NOTICE.—The hasteners to get wealthy by rushing after the golden phantom on the shores of the Pacific would do well to ponder the following sober language of Mr. Henry Coleman, in the last number of his excellent work on European Agriculture: "The true wealth of a community is its labor, its productive labor. A man is not the richer for houses, which he cannot occupy; lands which he cannot use; money that he cannot spend. He might own a continent in the moon, but what would that avail him? He might die of starvation in the vaults of the Bank of England, or in the undisturbed possession of the riches of the mines of Peru.—Labor is the great source and instrument of subsistence and wealth."

SIGULAR MARRIAGE.

A few days since, while the sleighing was fine, a party of ladies and gentlemen met at a hotel at Kingsbridge, Westchester county. They had been in the house but a short time, when a gentleman, who was unknown to the company, became one of their number, and soon made himself especially agreeable to a young lady, who seemed not the least displeased with the attention which he bestowed on her. In short, they became mightily pleased with each other, and he proposed marriage on the spot. It was a novel proposition; but girls are fond of novelties—she consented, and they sent for the parson, who married "this man" to "this woman."

This strange gentleman's name did not transpire at all, and the young lady found herself married to one whose name even was unknown to her. He was not known at the house, and some inquisitive person who tried to find out what it was, failed entirely in their undertaking. The newly-made wife did not like to ask so odd a question of her husband, and a whole day elapsed before she was made aware of what her new cognomen was. Of all the hastily concocted marriages that are recorded, this appears to cap the climax.—*N. York Paper.*

The European papers announce the death of Hartley Coleridge, son of the great poet and metaphysician, that "Child of wondrous promise," as he was called in his early days. He inherited much of his father's peculiar genius, with a great share peculiar only to himself. He also inherited his father's failings, and if he did not blast his fine powers by chewing opium, he wrecked them upon strong drink. How many splendid minds, capable of having illuminated the mental sight of ages, soaring up for a moment with unearthly light—have glared out over the maddening poison of the wine cup!—*N. Y. Sun.*

Hon. Messrs. Daniel Webster and Reverdy Johnson have been engaged by the Commissioners of the M. E. Church, South, as counsel in the prosecution for the funds of the M. E. Church. Hon. Rufus Choate has been retained. It is said, by the Book Agent of the M. E. Church, as one of their counsel in the expected prosecution of the claim of the M. E. Church, South, on the property of the Church.—*New Era.*

The two Houses of Congress met in the Hall of the House of Representatives on the 4th inst., for the purpose of counting the Electoral votes for President and Vice President of the United States. Zachary Taylor and Millard Fillmore, each having received 163 Electoral votes, were declared duly elected to those offices for four years, from and after the 4th of March next. A committee was appointed to notify these gentlemen of their election.—*Metropolitan.*

Bank of England.—The gold and silver coin in the vaults of this institution, on the 6th of Jan., amounted to the enormous sum of £15,024,802, or about \$75,000,000. Our political economists have often estimated the gold and silver coin in the United States as low as \$50,000,000, a portion of which is, of course, constantly being drawn to England.

FOREIGN ITEMS.—It is the gossip of London, that Count D'Orsay managed to raise two thousand sovereigns for his friend Louis Napoleon, to carry on the contest for the Presidency. It is believed that he is about to return to Paris, under the patronage of the latter.

The Hon. Mrs. Norton has gone to Lisbon for her health. She was escorted by Admiral Napier.

Gen. Cabineau once Aid to Napoleon, is dead.

A Parisian caricaturist represents Louis Napoleon as trying on an imperial crown, which had slipped over his face, and exclaiming in great perplexity, "Decidemment mon oncle avait teta plus forte que moi." [Undoubtedly, my uncle had a larger head than I.]

At a social banquet of female democrats, in Paris, Madame Granet said, in her speech, "Let us select the blessed Virgin as our model; whose name be ever blessed among women." M. Bernard gave as a toast, "France, the living Christ."

The Marchioness of Sligo has turned Mesmerizer, and is said to have effected some astonishing cures at Cheltenham.

GOLD DOLLAR.—A bill has been reported to the House of Representatives, authorizing the coinage one dollar gold pieces at the United States Mint. The press has been strong in recommendations for the introduction of coin of this description. Its diffusion would do much towards checking the circulation of small notes.—*St. Louis Union.*

Leap Year.—It is said that many single women in the western part of this State intend to petition the Legislature to extend the term of leap year to May 1st.—*N. Y. Paper.*

The Louisville Courier estimates that Kentucky has sent, this season, to Cincinnati, over 120,000 hogs, which realized the owners \$790,000.

The public debt of Canada is nearly \$14,000,000.

A petition was presented to the Mayor of New York, on the 31st ult., signed by fifteen thousand respectable citizens, asking for the enforcement of the Sunday Laws against the liquor traffic in that city. The petition was presented by a committee of forty, among whom were Theodore Frelinghuysen, Mr. Harper, Dr. Pring, Dr. Tyng, and Benj. F. Butler.

Report of the Inspectors of the Missouri Penitentiary for 1848.—Number of persons received 30; pardoned, 6; discharged by expiration of time, 31; escaped and recaptured, 1; deaths, 2. Total number of white prisoners now in the Penitentiary—males, 67; females, 2; colored males, 2; females, 1.

BRAGG'S MEDICINE.
Or the Indian Queen Vegetable Sugar Coated Pills.—These Pills have attained an unprecedented popularity; because in all diseases peculiar to the West they have had unprecedented success. It is no wonder, therefore, that medical charlatans have been engaged in manufacturing and sending abroad other pills and medicines with the vain hope of rivaling in public estimation "Bragg's Sugar Coated Pills."—This cannot be done, as some who have tried the spurious medicines have found to their cost.

See Dr. Bragg's advertisement in another column.

Sold in Warsaw, by
BROWN & DUNN.

DR. WM. J. RICHARDS, of Cincinnati, says he cured a case of Consumption by the use of **DR. ROGERS' LIVERWORT OF TAR**, when all other remedies had failed.

This remedy may be had from
BROWN & DUNN.

We wish to call the reader's attention to **WISTAR'S BALM OF WILD CHERRY**, that is advertised in another column. There is some peculiarity about this article that no other remedy has. It is completely master of all Pulmonary Diseases, even to the most malignant, such as our most prominent and skillful physicians after long treatment have given up in despair as beyond the reach of medicine, and their skill, are cured by this remedy.—The reader may think there is some assurance in this, and with some reason too, if it was not plain matter of fact proved by many cases within our immediate circle of acquaintance. We recommend it to the afflicted as the best medicine before the public.

See advertisement.

For sale by Brown & Dunn, Warsaw.

**GREATER INDUCEMENTS
THAN
CALIFORNIA!
FOR 1849.**

FOR the approaching Spring I am manufacturing the largest and most splendid assortment of

Ready Made Clothing.

Ever offered by any house. It will be beyond description!

The Wholesale and Retail Trade of the past year so far exceeded my expectations, that it was a matter of impossibility for me to supply the great demand!

For the approaching Season I feel confident in asserting that I will be enabled to supply the demand of the entire West.

The tremendous amount of BUSINESS that I am doing, and entirely upon the cash principle, enables me to manufacture Goods at far less prices than any other concern; and I am determined to

Sell them at a Small Profit!!

So as to make it an object for every Country Merchant to invest his cash capital in Clothing, as it will pay him a better profit, meet with quicker sales, and leave no remnants to lose on. My stock this Spring has been manufactured entirely different from any previous one. I have devoted my whole time and attention to it, as my brother Charles G. Martin, attorney to the St. Louis establishment. My styles and patterns have all been selected with great care, and all are rich and beautiful. All I ask is the pleasure of a call, when I am confident that you cannot fail being pleased with my

Styles, Patterns and Prices.

Merchants who are in the habit of trading East, and those bound for California, will find, by looking through my stock, that they can buy cheaper than can be bought in the Eastern markets, and save thereby expenses of going, coming, transportation, &c.

My stock this season is, and will be tremendously large, and I am determined to close it off with the season.—All bills warranted to be packed correctly—sized and goods guaranteed to be perfect. I have but ONE STORE in the City. "Tis No. 118 Main Street, St. Louis, Mo. "Tis A large No. 118 on top the House. All orders packed at the lowest Cash prices.
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JNO. T. MARTIN

1849.]

St. Louis, Glasgow & BRUNSWICK, Mo. River Packet Line.

TUESDAY PACKET, Rowena,
Wm. C. Jewett, Commander.

Leaves St. Louis for Brunswick every Tuesday at 6 o'clock, p. m., leaves Brunswick for St. Louis every Friday, at 6 o'clock, a. m.

This elegant passenger steamer having been entirely refitted, repaired and repaired, will resume her regular packet trips in the above trade, on the opening of navigation, and continue throughout the season.

The ROWENA will leave St. Louis on her upward trip every Tuesday at 6 o'clock, p. m., and arrive at Brunswick on Thursday evening. Returning, she will leave Brunswick every Friday at 6 o'clock a. m., will be at Keytesville Landing at 8 a. m., Cambridge at 9 o'clock, and leave Glasgow at 11 o'clock, a. m.; will be at Blount, Bouldwin's Landing, Arrow Rock, Booneville and Rocheport, on same day; at Mt. Vernon, Providence, Nashville, Martin's Landing, Marion, Clayville, Jefferson City, mouth of Osage, Cote Sans dessein, Shepley's, Smith's and Young's Landings, Portland, Hermann, Loutre Island, Pinckney, Washington, South Point and Point Labadie, on Saturday; will be at St. Charles early Sunday morning, and arrive in St. Louis same day.

The commander of the ROWENA embraces the present opportunity of returning his sincere thanks to his friends who have so liberally patronized him, and assures them that every exertion on the part of himself and officers, shall be made to render her still worthy of the patronage of the travelling and shipping public.

Agents—*A. McMechan & Co., Brunswick; J. D. Perry or Glasgow; J. A. J. Adderton, Arrow Rock; J. T. Johnson, Booneville; Philip Crose, Rocheport; Col. H. H. Baber, Jeff. City; P. C. Arnold, Portland.*

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**Great Western
CHEAP BOOK STORE.**

R. VAN DIEN

(Late of the firm of Nafis, Cornish, & Co.) HAS associated with himself in business J. W. McDONALD, of St. Louis, under the title of

VAN DIEN & McDONALD.

For the publishing and supplying the Western country with CHEAP BOOKS. Having made all suitable arrangements with the Publishers East, and from a long experience in the business, we are safe in promising to supply all orders at

EASTERN PRICES.

R. VAN DIEN will remain in New York, to attend to supplying the House with the earliest and best Works in all departments of Literature, which will enable us to fill any and all orders whatsoever at the earliest moment.

J. W. McDONALD will attend to the establishment in St. Louis, and by a strict attention to business, he feels confident of giving satisfaction. We have now on hand a complete assortment of SCHOOL, MISCELLANEOUS & MEDICAL BOOKS, WRITING AND WRAPPING PAPER, in large quantities, all of which will be sold at the lowest N. York prices. Prices freely given to those who wish to look further before purchasing. From the advantages we have in obtaining books, we are confident that Country Merchants will find it much to their interest to obtain their supplies of us, in preference to obtaining them in the Eastern Cities. R. VAN DIEN will attend to any and all orders addressed to him in N. York, on behalf of this House.

VAN DIEN & McDONALD,

Successors to Nafis, Cornish & Co., 206 Main St., between the Virginia and Missouri Hotels.

N. B.—We are agents for the Clinton Paper Mill, Ohio, and are prepared to furnish Printing and Wrapping Paper at mill prices. Also Printing Ink. feb17

Final Settlement.

NOTICE is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Charles Barton, dec'd., that the undersigned will make application the next term of the County Court of Benton county, to be held on the fourth Monday in April next, for a final settlement of his administration of said estate.

RICH'D. S. CATES, adm'r.

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Administration Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained Letters of administration on the estate of William Taylor, dec'd., from the Clerk of the Henry County court, bearing date the 2d day of February, 1849.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same for allowance to the undersigned within one year from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from having any benefit of said estate, and if such claims are not presented within three years, they will be forever barred.

GEO. A. EAST, Adm'r.

feb17-31-3

Final Settlement.

ALL persons interested in the estates of A. Hezekiah Ferguson and Susanah Ferguson, dec'ds., late of Dade County, are hereby notified that the undersigned will apply at the next term of the Probate Court for said county, to be held on the first Monday in March next, for a final settlement of my administration of said estates.

GARRETT PHILPOTT, Adm'r.

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BLANKS of every description kept constantly on hand at this office.

Valuable Property for Sale.

THE subscribers offer for sale their FARM & MILLS situated on Bear Creek, in Cedar county, about 3 miles from the town of Fremont. The tract contains 240 acres, a good portion of which is in cultivation. There is now in successful operation upon it, a valuable FLOURING & SAW MILL. There is already erected a comfortable Frame Dwelling House, together with the most desirable tracts of Land in Missouri, situated in a flourishing and interesting county, and possesses water privileges of great value, and is in the immediate vicinity of an inexhaustible supply of Iron Ore. To any person wishing to engage in agricultural pursuits, or in the manufacture of Flour or Iron, this property offers no small inducements. Liberal terms would be given to a purchaser if application be made soon. Apply to James M. Blakey on the premises, or to Felix Hutton, in Warsaw.

JAS. M. BLAKEY,
FELIX HUTTON.

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City Ordinances.

An ordinance making an appropriation for removing nuisances, &c.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Warsaw, as follows: Section 1. That there be, and the sum of Twenty-five Dollars is hereby appropriated for the purpose of defraying the expenses of cleaning the streets, alleys, public grounds and public landings within the city of Warsaw, of all filth and all other filth of every description, calculated to produce any injurious effects upon the health of the city.

2. And that the Mayor of the City be and he is hereby authorized to appoint three competent persons, whose duty it shall be to employ persons, and with the money appropriated by this ordinance and such other means as may be contributed by the citizens of the City of Warsaw, to cause to be removed from the streets, alleys, public grounds and public landings, all filth and all other filth of every description, as soon as the same can be done, and also to procure fresh lime, and cause the same to be distributed in such parts of the city as may be deemed necessary more effectually to guard against disease.

3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Passed February 9th, 1849.

E. CAMERON, Pres't.

Approved, Feb. 9th, 1849.

A. RITCHIE, Mayor.

An Ordinance for the preservation of the health of the City.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Warsaw,

Sec. 1. That if any person or persons, or co-partnership, after the passage and taking effect of this ordinance, shall, within the limits of the City of Warsaw, throw into any street, alley, or on public grounds or public landing, or on his or their own premises, within said city, any filth from slaughter houses, or any other nuisance, and suffer the same to remain in any such street, alley, public ground or public landing, for more than one day, after being duly notified and required by the City Constable or any other citizen either written or oral, to remove the same, shall on conviction thereof, before the Mayor of said city, pay a fine of five dollars.

2. It shall be the duty of the citizens of the City of Warsaw, individually, to have all the rubbish, trash, and all other articles of a decaying nature, such as would create any stench or offensive smell whatsoever, removed from off their premises, and have or cause the same to be taken outside the city limits, and in default thereof, after being duly notified by the City Constable or any other citizen, either by written or verbal notice, shall, on conviction thereof before the Mayor of said city, be subject to a fine of three dollars for every 24 hours that the same shall remain on or about their premises.

3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from the date of its passage.

Passed February 9th, 1849.

E. CAMERON, Pres't.

Approved, Feb. 9, 1849.

A. RITCHIE, Mayor.

T. H. LARKIN.

EDWARD BACON.

THOS. H. LARKIN & CO.,

Commission & Forwarding

MERCHANTS,

AND WHOLESALE

GROCERS.

No. 53, Levee,

ST. LOUIS.

Also—Agents for the sale of Dupont's Powder.

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RISING SUN HOTEL,

AND GENERAL

STAGE OFFICE.

Corner of Washington and Benton Streets,

WARSAW, MO.

ARCHIBALD COCK

MAKES great pleasure in announcing to the community in general, and the travelling public in particular, that he has taken the above commodious & well known public house, and is prepared to entertain those who may give him a call, in a manner unsurpassed in the State, and hopes by due attention to the comfort of his patrons, to merit and receive a liberal share of the travelling custom.

His stable is convenient and commodious, and always well filled with provisions, and attended by a faithful ostler.

Warsaw, Jan. 1st, 1849.